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20th Engineers Performed Great Works in Europe.

The American army had the reputation of doing things on a big scale; and when the war ended it had a regiment which was from six to ten times larger than the average regiment. In the infantry this ordinarily comprises about 3,000 men, and in the engineers about 1,500 men. But there was one regiment of engineers which at the time of the signing of the armistice had on its rolls 360 officers and 15,183 men, an aggregate of 15,543.

This was the 20th engineers (forest) which was made up of the foresters and lumbermen, who went over to get out the wood needed for Uncle Sam's army. In honor of these men the American Forestry Magazine of Washington, D. C., has just issued a special number telling of their work. The number has scores of pictures showing how important the forestry work was to winning the war. The American Forestry association is now receiving subscriptions to its fund for helping reforest France and Belgium. The work of these woodmen, saw-mill operators and lumberjacks was to supply the army with the millions of feet of lumber required every month.

The 20th engineers included men from

all parts of the United States. It contained men from the spruce and fir forests of the Northwest and from the pine belt of the South; woodsmen and saw-mill operators from New England and Michigan; graduates and students from forest schools all over the country and skilled employees from lumber concerns. They cut timber with a rapidity which made the French open their eyes in surprise. They did things which they had been told were impossible. The group at one mill would make a record one day, only to learn that some other company smashed it the next day. Old French saw-mills buzzed with a speed to which they were not accustomed; and mills which were supposed to turn out 10,000 feet a day made it 25,000 feet and then 30,000 feet. One mill which was rated with a capacity of 20,000 feet of lumber in a 10-hour day, made the record of the war when it ground out 177,486 feet in 23 hours, 35 minutes. This was done by the 27th company.

On one occasion a 10,000-foot mill was moved a distance of 25 miles and was in operation 47 hours after it ceased sawing in its first location. Five days had been allowed as a reasonable time to move the mill. That shows something of the speed with which these forestry boys made things hum when they got to France.

"People's Shoe Store Shoe-Talks"

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Give your troubled feet a vacation—Buy a pair of shoes that will fit them



Hathaway and Cluett Shirts

All styles and patterns, Colors all guaranteed to be strictly fast.

See us about your shirt wants.

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BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16, 1919.

The Weather

Fair to-night and Thursday, preceded by showers this afternoon and to-night in Maine; cooler in New Hampshire and Vermont to-night; moderate south shifting to west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Any shoe from the Mills stock, while they last, 98c. Lamont's.

Mrs. W. A. Brown of St. Johnsbury is visiting at D. S. Waterman's.

James R. Wood of Boston is stopping at Hotel Barre for a few days.

Some good values at attractive prices at our clearing-out sale. Adams Co.

Andrew Miles of Graniteville went to Burlington to-day for a brief business trip.

Miss Margaret Woodruff of Montpelier is visiting Miss Marion Anker for a few days.

Mrs. Edward Burke of Pearl street is visiting her parents in Moretown for a few days.

Public dance at Woodbury pond Friday night; \$1 a couple. Landi's orchestra—adv.

Dance in Howland hall Wednesday evening after band concert. Gilbertson's orchestra—adv.

Watch these columns for the adv. of the sale of the H. Z. Mills stock of dry goods at the Adams Co.

Harper Mitchell and family, and William Mitchell and family are camping at Joe's pond for two weeks.

Miss Mary Rennie of Fairview street is having a week's vacation from her duties at the Depot square restaurant.

A regular meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the club rooms. Important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gile of St. Johnsbury are visiting at the home of Mrs. Gile's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith, of Maple avenue.

Miss Georgina Macauley and Miss Elizabeth Macauley have gone to Lake Morey, where they will stay for the remainder of the summer.

An ice cream social and a program will be given at the Episcopal church in Westerville Thursday evening, July 17. Admission 20c—adv.

Ronald Wright and sister, Vivian, of Sherbrooke, P. Q., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Howard H. Reid of Tremont street for a few days.

Miss Christina McMorris, a nurse of the City hospital, is having her annual two weeks' vacation, which she plans to pass with friends in Hardwick and Quincy, Mass.

Representative Amasa Sweet of Lowell passed through the city yesterday on his way home from Brattleboro and stopped to confer with a few of his Barre friends.

The famous double Andes range will burn wood and coal and gas, and bake all in one oven. Save half of your fuel bill. Get prices. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

The Universalist Sunday school picnic is being held at Woodbury pond to-day. Between 75 and 100 children left this morning for there, most of them going by auto.

Mrs. Charles Hopkins, who had a minor operation performed at the City hospital recently, was able to leave to-day for her home in Waterbury Center when accompanied by her husband.

Miss Ella Williams of Branch street returned from Somerville, Mass., last night, where she has been visiting. Miss Williams has been working in Monkton, Nova Scotia, for the past few months.

Special price on the Page rooming house on Elm street for the next few days. There are 11 rooms and one can have an income of \$50 per month or more, besides reserving five or six rooms. All modern. See the D. A. Perry Real Estate Agency at once—adv.

Members of the Italian Gaiety club, come and meet your old friends at the box social Friday, July 18, at Dowry park. Each girl is requested to bring a box. A cordial invitation is extended to all the former members of the club to come back and get acquainted. Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Andrews and daughters, Marjorie and Mary, left to-day for Richmond, where they will attend the funeral of Mr. Andrews' father, S. F. Andrews. From Richmond they leave for Mallett Bay on Lake Champlain to spend two weeks camping a short distance from Colchester.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Richardson returned last night from an automobile trip of several days to Boston and Old Orchard. They were accompanied by G. C. Walker, who came last Saturday from New York City to visit his relatives at 11 Grant avenue, and A. C. Walker, his brother.

Peter Durward, a discharged Canadian soldier who could relate a vast amount of experiences on the fighting line in which he suffered many injuries, made the first trip to Barre in a few years a week ago when he came to visit his sister, Mrs. Andrew McKenzie. Yesterday he left for Montreal, where he will spend a week and then proceed to his home in Ontario.

P. Cerutti, John Molinari, Tony Molinari, M. D'averio and John Bossi morning to North Duxbury yesterday morning for the purpose of angling in that vicinity. Though they were completely soaked with the steady downpour of rain they captured 11 bass, the shortest of which measured 11 inches, and they consider themselves well rewarded for their patience.

Miss Ethel Parry was very pleasantly surprised last evening when she was invited to the home of Misses Henrietta and Ethel Inglis of 7 Clark street, there being a party of Unitas girls of the Baptist church to greet and entertain her in honor of her approaching wedding. Miss Parry was given a pyrex casserole, presented in a basket beautifully trimmed with pink crepe paper and sweet peas. Dainty refreshments were served. The party broke up at an early hour wishing Miss Parry an all-happy married life.

Comparisons.

A teacher said to a boy considered dull in mathematics: "You should be ashamed of yourself! Why, at your age George Washington was a surveyor!"

"Yes, sir," was the response; "and at your age he was president of the United States."—Brooklyn Eagle.

A joint meeting of the amusement committees of the tribe and of Pocahontas will be held July 17 at 7 o'clock and the regular meeting of the Degree of Pocahontas at 7:30.

EAST BARRE

Regular meeting of Wuchosen tribe, No. 19, I. O. R. M., on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Work, adoption degree. Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock prompt, there will be a practice meeting. Let every member be present to help. Degree Master Rock needs you all.

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MONTPELIER

City Council Proposes to Take Advantage of State Aid on Roads.

A special meeting of the Montpelier city council was held last evening when the road matters mentioned Tuesday were in part disposed of, although the places where the work shall be done were not decided. It was voted to take advantage of the state's offer relative to \$1,000 for permanent work and \$1,500 for re-surfacing and to expend the five per cent money, which amounts to \$478.64, on highways. The street committee was given authority to make a petition to the district highway commissioner for state aid in that work. The deed of the James Rae place near Berlin pond was accepted by the city and the mayor's warrant for \$1,000 was authorized. It was voted to buy another car of road oil. The board of trade was given the use of the rooms for the teachers' convention and grange in October and December, respectively.

Manager Edward Carey has received notice from the division superintendent of the Western Union that beginning next Sunday the office will be open only between 9 and 10:30 a. m., and 5 and 7 o'clock p. m. The hours have been 9 to noon and 5 to 11 o'clock. Loss of business is the reason for the reduction in time.

Miss Marjory and Mae Kennedy of Burlington were local visitors yesterday.

Dr. F. T. Kidder of Woodstock was here yesterday in connection with the infantile paralysis clinic.

The funeral of Joseph Jones, who died in Springfield, Mass., will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning from St. Augustine's church. Mr. Jones, with his daughter, went to Springfield to visit. He was taken ill with neuritis, from which he died, and the body was brought here yesterday. He was many years employed as stationery engineer by the Montpelier and Wells River Railroad Co. He is survived by his son, Harold, and daughter, Margaret Jones, of Montpelier. He lived many years on Franklin street in Montpelier.

William Bretsett appeared before the grand jury Tuesday evening asking for prosecution of someone for allowing a dog that was killing rabbits to run at large. The grand jury was without authority and the man appealed to the city council, who had no more authority. Then he applied to the police and the dog was shot during the evening by Officer E. D. Sloan. It appears that there was no name on the strap, which was around the dog's neck, as the law provides there shall be. It developed also that the dog had been killing hens of the complainant.

The fire department was called to the Angus McNeill house on Foster street last evening because of a pair of gasolines and the apartment from the report made of the matter, that Forest Merrill, who occupied the tenement in which the fire occurred, had been using gasoline to burn paint off a bedstead. He had painted the bedstead with gasoline and then applied a match to it and in throwing away one of his matches, it went into the pair of gasolines. A lively fire lasted for a few minutes, according to the neighbors. A general alarm was sounded and the department responded. The inside of the room was burned quite a little. The department was away from the station about 20 minutes.

A new assignment of judges has been made by Chief Judge Z. S. Stanton of the county courts. It is practically the same as has existed, excepting that there is a change in the date of the Windsor county court. The legislature at the last session changed the date of convening, after two years' experience under the law that was enacted for the county.

The mandamus proceedings papers, which have been brought in connection with the Turner dog matter in Rutland, were sent to L. C. Moody, clerk of supreme court; but in view of the fact that this matter is in Rutland county, the papers have been sent back to Rutland for filing in that county.

Mrs. William Best and Mrs. Morrill, her mother, of Chicago, are visiting at M. L. Wood's.

E. T. Sequin has bought of William Rivers the large safe which for years was in the John H. Senter office. He has placed it in his store on Main street.

Fred Desaulnier of the police force in Springfield was in the city to-day in conference with the secretary of state on dealers' licenses and the authority that exists. It appears that some trouble has developed in that community over the use of dealers' number plates.

L. Pilini reported to the police this morning that Sunday someone cut down his tomato plants in his garden on Barre street. It appears that some person, either in spite or with mischievous intent, cut down the vines. Thus far no trace of the person who did the trick has been discovered.

The street committee was in hot water this morning when members of the painters' union jumped on the committee because they were using what these men claimed was non-union help. They complained quite a good deal about the matter. L. A. Junior was employed and the street committee understood he was a union man. The committee are union men, in principle, so probably the matter will be adjusted during the day.

Dr. R. W. Lovett of Boston, the specialist on infantile paralysis, and some of the physicians and nurses from Burlington, Tuesday and to-day conducted a clinic on that disease at Heaton hospital. It was attended by a large number of those who suffered the malady two years ago, the most of whom are improving toward recovery.

The secretary of state has received the report of a bad accident that happened near S. B. Bates' home in Derby. It appears that on Monday Clinton Fairbrother, 12-year-old son of Hugh Fairbrother, was riding on a truck and he dropped off the machine, then started to run to the side of the road and stepped directly in front of the automobile of F. W. Carr of Newport, driven by J. A. Carr. The youth was hit a hard clip. When carried home blood was running from his mouth and ears. Reports received here from the youth last evening was that he was recovering.

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SOUTH RANDOLPH

E. D. Camp Receives Another Letter from George Hogan.

George Hogan, a native of Vermont, who has been East on a trip, just arrived back at his home in Portland, Ore., and wrote as follows to the Camp family:

"I intended to write you the first of the week, but when night came I was either too tired or too busy. Have had lots to do since I got home a week ago this morning. I believe it was from New Orleans that I wrote you last, so will commence there. Left that city in the evening and next morning woke up near Houston, Tex., and say, there is some fine farming land through that section, big fields of cotton and corn. For miles and miles the land is as level as your kitchen floor, and where it was not under cultivation, bands of cattle were grazing. It had been raining and all vegetation was green and growing. The whole country looked healthy and prosperous.

"Later in the day it did not look so fine, for we had reached the desert, and desert it was until we reached California. Through Arizona, it was fearfully hot and dusty, a whole lot worse than anything you saw or experienced in Nevada.

"Near the border, we found a squad or company of soldiers guarding the bridges and those we talked with were praying for the day to come when they would be relieved. The only things that really interested me in New Mexico and Arizona were the cactus and a mirage.

"Arrived at Los Angeles on Sunday morning and found it a most delightful city (this was my first visit there), hunted up some Portland people who are living there and had a most delightful time; went to Pasadena, San Pedro, Long Beach and all over the city. Mrs. Busch has closed her gardens at Pasadena, so we could not get to see them. The natives did not speak very respectfully of her for doing it, as they seemed to consider it spite work on her part in revenge for the country going dry. She was supposed to be in St. Louis closing up her big beer plant there. Some of the streets there are very pretty, being lined with fine homes, surrounded by beautiful lawns and yards, filled with orange, magnolia, palms and similar trees and all kinds of flowers. Beautiful city to visit and might be to live in when you are a millionaire.

"Long Beach is the Coney island of the Pacific coast the year round, and there was a big crowd there the afternoon we were there, in the water and along the beach, all enjoyment, or pleasure, everybody happy.

"Left Los Angeles at 8 a. m. via the Coast line, which passes through a very productive part of California, before reaching the coast and then for 135 miles it follows the shore line of the Pacific, affording a fine view of the ocean from the car window. We passed through Santa Barbara and saw the homes of some of the millionaires and some oil wells and then over the mountains, arriving at Del Monte Junction about 7 p. m., where we first began to feel the cool air, and from there to San Francisco an overcoat was none too warm. Arrived at the big city at 10:45 and after getting located at something to eat, I could not resist the temptation to take a stroll down Market and out Kearney, which I did, and say, I was as much at sea as I was on the east hill, for the only familiar landmark that I could locate was Lotta's fountain. The Chronicle building and the Palace are both in the same place, but they do not resemble the old buildings at all. The city still shows many scars from the fire and earthquake in vacant lots and ruined walls.

"When I was in Washington I visited the Corcoran art gallery, which I have always understood to be something grand, but I did not think much of the exhibit there, and supposed it was due to my ignorance of art. It seemed to me that there was too much sameness to everything, and here in Golden Gate park I found an art gallery that will discount Corcoran's two to one, in my estimation. A gift to the city from M. H. LeYoung of the Chronicle. I spent nearly five hours in the gallery and adjoining museum and was loath to leave them. Both are filled with many most interesting pictures, statues, tapestry, from all over the world and a fine collection of articles, depicting the early history of San Francisco and California.

"The trip from San Francisco to Portland, 775 miles, seemed the longest of all, two nights and one day. It rained a little near Mt. Shasta, but otherwise the weather was fine and had a grand view of the mountains. Near Chico it was very warm and the farmers were threshing and up on Shasta there was quite a bit of snow.

"California has good roads in the south, but up in the north there seemed to be about three or four inches of fine dust in the roads, to judge from the dust following the autos. In some places in Alabama I saw paved roads, but most of the way they seemed to be about as nature and the wagon wheels had left them.

"Oregon is now building and paving a road from Portland to the California line and California has just voted a big bond issue for roads, so it won't be long before the Pacific highway from north to south will be finished.

"Went to work on my old job Tuesday morning and found a whole lot of new rules and regulations to learn and more work to do. We have always had a foreman and an assistant foreman and the two men holding these positions have not agreed for at least five years and I have been expecting that one or both would be let out. About the time I applied for my passes, the assistant foreman applied for passes to Wisconsin, via Ogden, San Francisco, Los Angeles and New Orleans, and was to leave a week after I did. About three days later his wife came down with the smallpox and they were quarantined for five weeks and did not go east at all, and when he reported back to work, his position had been abolished and he was given the next lower position, and now I have a part of his work to perform. I think the agent expected he would quit and then he would appoint someone else to the position, and I think he will soon, at least, I hope so, for I have been on the run all the time this last week trying to keep up. Business had been very slack, but it commenced with a rush on the first of the month and it is too much for the foreman and myself to look after. The warehouse extends over what was four city blocks and three streets, so you can see we have to go some at times. Last week there were 75 men employed and it is enough for one man to keep track of them and keep them at work without doing anything else.

"Portland seems good to get back to, but I cannot help thinking of old Vermont and all of those I left there, and wish them all health, wealth and happiness.

Clarence is working in a printing office over town during vacation. He was up the Columbia in the mountains over the

Union Dry Goods Co.



New Styles in Georgette Waists

Georgette Crepe Waists are in greater demand than ever, and they are also one of the hardest articles in our entire stock to secure—scarcity of materials, strikes, etc., have brought about this condition.

We have however, secured another big shipment of Georgette Waists and at moderate prices. Big assortment of styles, all the new shades.

Priced at \$5.00 - \$5.98 - \$6.98

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Fourth, Portland had no general celebration of the Fourth. Some of the smaller towns close by had, and Seaside, which is one of Portland's summer watering places, and which is only reached by our railroad (Astoria division) and where we did a big business last week.

"I had to stay home and paper the kitchen, what do you think about that for a Fourth of July? My wife said, I had vacation enough and had to work, so that settled it.

"All of our railroad boys who enlisted, have returned or are on the way and will get their old positions back. None of our boys were killed or wounded, but one died of disease and is buried near

GRANITEVILLE

Granite theatre to-night, something new—"Maciste," the Italian Douglas Fairbanks, in his greatest sensation, "The Liberator," in 12 episodes, also a W. S. Hart feature. One show, starting at 7:30. Admission, 6c and 11c—adv.

Benefit box party in Miles' hall Friday evening, July 18. Sale of boxes begins at 8 o'clock, to be followed by dancing. Ladies please bring boxes. Everybody welcome—adv.



MATINEE.....2:15 and 3:15
EVENING.....6:45 and 8:30
TELEPHONE 418

TO-DAY

Brian Washburn in "ALL WRONG". With a dash of the risqué, a generous amount of laughs and a wholesome atmosphere pervading all, you can figure on spending an hour of real fun when you sit down to watch the unfolding of this delightful worry-chaser. Mutt and Jeff and Pictograph.

Thursday, July 17—Dorothy Dalton in, "THE HOME-BREAKER". The simplicity of this story, the sincerity of Dorothy Dalton and her supporting cast, make this production an entertainment of a little different nature and wholly enjoyable. Also Patty Arbuckle in "LOVE". And a Pictograph news.

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